a town two days this week. to various schools of the town class their Christmas recess, opening

Rev. Mr. Sloan, a former Kennebunk-rt. Me., paster, occupied the pulpit at a Congregational church last Sunday. Vext Tuesday evening the Bellows Falls etic club will play a game of basket-here with the Dartmouth Reserves. Descon C. W. Osgood is in Montpeller attending a meeting of the trus-of the Vermont Domestic Missionary

Last Monday evening, at the regular neeting of the College club, the principal diress was by W. C. Belknap on "Chris-

manuel church, which has been lightby gas for a number of years, is soon have an auxiliary system of electric

There has been fine skating upon Mins pond during the past week which been fully taken advantage of by wds of lovers of the pastime.

Snows on Sunday and Monday aggreed enough so that there was fair ghing even in the village, while out-e it was excellent for several days. among the attorneys in Woodstock ring the past week attending Windsor unity court were F. B. Pingree, Geo. Weston, H. D. Ryder and C. H. Wil-

A Christmas eve service is to be held the old schoolhouse at Rockingham inday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock by Rev. L. Sanford, rector of Immanuel

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Mrs. Louise Switzer Monday evening y the members of the Woman's Relief rps. About 20 members were 'present ad a pleasant evening was passed. The subject of the address by Rev.
L. Leavitt for next Sunday evening
li be "Prison Reform in Vermont."
r. Leavitt will preach in the schooluse at Gageville at 2.30 p. m. the same

hants of Bellows Falls seems to be that he Christmas trade has started this car earlier than is usual, and the outook is considered good for a heavy sea-

The repairs upon the buildings of the landa Brewing company, near Cold Brewing company, near Cold that were damaged by fire two months ago are approaching completion.
The company expect to begin brewing gain some time during January.

Nelson B. Ober, clerk in the local post sibly be realized fice, and Miss Eisle G. Robinson of in that locality. Rutland, were quietly married Saturday morning by Rev. Mr. Lewson in the Baptist parsonage at Brattleboro. They will make their home in Gageville.

Randolph Dodge, who has conducted an express and trucking business many rs, has sold his outfit and good will Frazier M. Howard and will make future home with his daughter, Mrs. John C. Church, in Dorchester, Mass, The subject for the next debate of the Bellows Falls Debating club is, "Resolved, That the Town of Rockingham didright in not accepting Mr. Carnegie's offer of a public library." The meeting will be held Monday evening at the High

Eight or ten delegates from the differ-ent Granges of the town have been this week in attendance upon the annual state Grange in Montpeller. Among them were John F. Alexander, jr., F. W. Weeden, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stoddard, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Allbee.

A fine exhibit of wild game has this week been made in front of the Richards week been made in front of the Richards market on Rockingham street. Among the animals were four deer, a black bear, and two cubs—the results of a hunting trip to the Maine woods by Lewis C. Lovell and A. M. Richards, who returned Sunday.

several years by M. C. Roundy and L. T. Lovell, 2d, on their farms on the Upper Meadows, is running rural free delivery mail route No. I, in place of the regular carrier, Eugene Cray. Mr. Vose hopes to get the regular appointment within a

The electric road is again this year

Albert Haselton, 20, who until about a month ago came into this village each day on the milk team of H. H. Woods, as instantly killed Saturday evening at roctorsville, by a northbound freight rain. He was standing beside the track with a younger brother and as the train approached made the boast that he could cross the track just ahead of the entine, and his foolbardiness was the cause f the accident.

The Woman's club made a decided hit The Woman's club made a decided hit in the carrying out of their fair held last week Friday at the homes of Mrs. Clark Chase and Mrs. Geo. E. Page. The proceeds will be devoted to the fund for expenses of the district nurse. About \$100 was realized as the net return from the

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venture. The third social tea of the club will be served Thursday afternoon at the club rooms in Centennial block and the speaker of the day will be Rev. Jay T. Stocking of Newtonville, Mass. The subject of his talk will be "Edith Wharton."

Hon, and Mrs. A. N. Swain have not missed spending the Thanksgiving festival with relatives in Brattleboro for just 50 years until they did so last week. This seems to be an unusual record of regularity in attendance upon this celeregularity in attendance upon this celregularity in attendance upon this cele-bration. Brattleboro friends were here list week with them for the first time. Mr. and Mrs. Swain say that in order to balance up the account, their friends have now 49 years more in which to spend Thanksgiving with them, before it will be their turn to go to Brattleboro again.

The mission study class, which has been conducted for the past nine or ten weeks by Miss Frances R. Osgood, held their closing session Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Osgood on Green street. A series of stereopticon slides depicting the conditions in the various African mission stations were enjoyed. conditions in the various African mission stations, were enjoyed by all, and light refreshments were served. The same slides were enjoyed by the members of the study class conducted by Miss Ger-trude S. Hayes on Wednesday evening, after the regular work for the week. This class closes its course next week.

An association has been formed in North Walpole for the purpose of crecting a suitable monument over the body of the late Father John J. Houllhan in St. Peter's cemetery. A canvass has been made among Father Houlihan's former parishers. has been made among Father Houlihan's former parishoners and friends and about \$350 is piedged for the purpose. W. J. Corbett is treasurer of the association. Father Houlihan died five or six years ago after a number of years confinement to a wheel chair as a mode of getting about, during which time he bravely performed his parish duties in the village of North Walpole, exciting the admiration of all who knew him.

A gang of men were put at work a

miration of all who knew him.

A gang of men were put at work a week ago in the water-shed above Minard's pond cutting trees. It cannot fail to have a still greater influence in reducing the water supply, and for this reason is to be deplored. It is a lot at the south east corner of the pond near the new dam, between that and the Griswold lot. The location is above the pond and in it is swampy land with springs from which water runs into the pond. There is but little timber large enough for saw-logs, but it is being cut mostly for firewood by the estate of the late James B. Morgan, the workmen being instructed to cut everything, large and instructed to cut everything, large and small. It seems short-sighted policy upon the part of the village to let the water supply be thus damaged as it would seem to be worth much more to protect the water supply than can possibly be realized from the sales of wood in that locality.

Fitzgerald, Democrat, Mayor of Boston, Democrats were victorious in Boston Tuesday, the municipal election resulting in the success of the party mayoralty candidate, former Congressman John F. Fitzgerald, in a field of four candidates. Fitzgerald's plurality over his nearest competitor, Louis A. Frothingham, Republican, speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, was \$350. The vote: John F. Fitzgerald, Democrat, 44,316; Louis A. Frothingham, Republican, 35,936; Henry S. Dewey, independent Republican, 11,637; James A. Watson, citizen and independent Democrat, 515. The vote was unusually heavy for a city election, more than 92,900 votes being cast out of a total than 92,000 votes being cast out of a total registration of 114,000. Two years ago the late Mayor Patrick A. Coilins, a Democrat, was re-elected by a plurality of more than 30,000. In the recent state election the Democratic gubernational candidate carried the city by a plurality of approximately 16,000. The city again declared in favor of licensing the liquor saloons by a great majority. The board of aldermen and the common council will remain and the common council will remain heavily Democratic. Fitzgerald is editor and proprietor of the Republic, a weekly publication, and has served three terms in Congress, representing the 9th Massachusetts district.

Occasionally the string on a man's finger only serves to remind him that

The electric road is again this year endeavoring to overflow a pond at the park near the ball grounds in order to have the advantage of ice skating to attract customers, as well as roller skating. The dam has this year been more substantially constructed than in the years when it proved a fallure.

The rehearsals for "Mikado" are now progressing rapidly. It will be given by the members of the Universalist congresation, and the proceeds will be placed in the funds for the erection of the parish house. Plans for this building have been practically decided upon by the building committee, but its erection will not be begun until spring opens.

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SWEATERS,

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Insurance Investigations Continued-New President of New York Mutual.

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Edward Scott, president of the Provident Savings Life Assurance, supplied at the insurance investigation at New York Monday a striking contradiction to the testimony given by John A. McCail in explaining the payment of \$134,000 by the New York Life to "Judge" Andrew Hamilton in a suit for recovery of taxes. Mr. Scott declared that his company employed Hamilton to fight this suit and paid him \$4,000.

President McCaU had testified that an President McCay and testified that an agreement had been made with the Provident Life to use their suit as a test case. President Scott denied this, and insisted there was no agreement or understanding. President McCall will be recalled to ex-

District Attorney Jerome decided that District Attorney Jerome decided that the insurance committee's questions to Thomas F. Ryan were "proper and material," and he must answer or be prosecuted, and Mr. Ryan, through his counsel, signified to the committee his readiness to appear at their convenience and tell about his interviews with Harriman, thus closing the incident losing the Incident.

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John C. McCall had an interview with
'Judge' Andrew Hamilton in Paris and
found him "undecided" about refurning
in response to the demand of President
John A. McCall of the New York Life, and
explaining the "yellow dog" funds.

English holders of policies in American
insurance companies moved to protect
their interests.

Thomas F. Ryan appeared before the

Thomas F. Ryan appeared before the insurance committee Tuesday and testi-fied that E. H. Harriman had demanded fied that E. H. Harriman had demanded that he give him one-half of the Hyde stock and permit him to name two more trustees, and said that if he did not he would use all his influence, political and otherwise, and in connection with possi-ble legislation, against him. United States Senator John F. Dryden of New Jersey, president of the Prudential.

of New Jersey, president of the Prudential, testified that his company had contributed \$25,000 in all to the last three Republican national campaign funds and had employ-ed "Judge" Andrew Hamilton for legis-lative work in two cases.

George W. Perkins resigned Wednes-day as vice president and chairman of the finance committee of the New York Life. Alexander E. Orr was chosen to succeed him in the former office, and John Ciaffin in the latter. The board of trustees also appointed a committee of five members to make an investigation. five members to make an investigation into the affairs of the company. Charles A. Penbody was elected presi-dent of the Mutual Life insurance com-

pany; he issued a letter to policy holders saying that he would serve no faction in administering the commany's business, and asked that no policies be allowed to Senator Dryden, before the investigat-ing committee, argued for federal control of insurance. The Prudential actuary told of the large cost of industrial poli-cles to the holders.

Death of Senator John H. Mitchell of

Oregon. United States Senator John H. Mitchell died in Portland, Oregon, Friday from hemorrhage following the removal of four teeth in a dental office Thursday. Mr. hemorrange following the federal of the teeth in a dental office Thursday. Mr. Mitchell was the political boss of Oregon 40 years. His name was John Hipple and he was born in Washington county, Pennhe was born in Washington county, Pennsylvania, in 1835. He taught school in carly manhood and married a pupil, Sadie Hoon, at Butler, Pa., where he was then living. They had three children, all still living. When 22 he began the study of law, and in 1860, at the age of 25, having left his family in Pennsylvania, he arrived at Portiand, Ore., where he changed his name to Mitchell. In a few months he had become city attorney. When 27 he had become state senator; at 29 he was president of the senate, and at 31 he president of the senate, and at 31 he missed by one vote the caucus nomination for United States senator from that state. When 37, however, he was elected to the national senate and remained there during the terms beginning in '73, '85, '91 and '01. He was convicted of crimes that

"forever disqualified him from holding public office under the United States govpublic office under the United States government" a few months ago.

With his election to the national senate his true identity was disclosed and it was discovered that he had two families. The Pennsylvania wife obtained a divorce, however, and his second marriage to a

Miss Price of Oregon was legalized.

The senater was convicted of accepting bribes from wholesale land thieves in the West for services rendered in getting illegal claims to land expedited through the land office at Washington. He was sentenced to six months in jail was sentenced to six months in jall and to pay a fine of \$1000, the court intimating that the penalty would have been more sovere had the culprit not been so

Senator Mitchell's second wife is it Paris, France, where she has spent a large part of her time since the marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to the duke of Rochefoucauld. A son, John H. Mitch-ell, Jr., lives in Minneapolis, Lieut, Hiram Mitchell, United States Army, is also a son

A statement was issued by the appropriations committee of the Senate and House Saturday summarizing the estimates for appropriations to be made at the present session of Congress for the fiscal year 1907. The total for all purposes aggregates \$804,296,415. These estimates are greater than the appropriations for the current year by \$19,170,155.

The Senate referred the Panama appro-riation bill to the appropriations committee, after a sharp debate, in which Senator Tillman denounced the payment of high salaries to canal employes. In a rate debate the legality of the delegation of legislative powers was discussed, and Senator Tillman attacked the President for alleged whitewashing of Morton.

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William L. Smith, 30 of Athol, was killed and his companion, Wilson S. Barker, 34, of Rutland, Vt., was fatally injured in the yard of the North station at Boston Saturday night. It is thought that they attempted to walk on the railroad tracks to Somerville. They were caught on a drawbridge by a shifting engine. Smith was struck by the engine and dragged about 100 feet. One leg was cut off and he was badly mutilated. He was dead when found. Barker was thrown into the apron of the drawbridge. He was alive when found and was taken to the Massachusetts General hospital, where he died from concussion of the brain and other injuries. Smith was a member of other injuries. Smith was a member of Company E. Orange, in the Second Mass-achusetts regiment during the Spanish-American war. Barker went from Rut-land to work in Beverly, Mass., only a short time ago.

The Christmas Dinner.

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In spite of the fact that the word dyspepsia means literally bad cook, it will not be fair for many to lay the blame on the cook if they begin the Christmas Dinner with little appetite and end it with distress or nausea. It may not be fair for any to do that—let us hope so for the sake of the cook! The disease dyspepsia indicates a bad stomach, that is a week stomach, rather than a bad cook, and for a week stomach there is nothing else equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla, it gives the stomach vigor and tone, cures dyspepsia, creates appetite, and makes eating the pleasure it should be.

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DYNAMITE UNDER BRIDGE.

Owing to a Bent Fuse Central Vermont Rallway's Structure at Millers Falls Escaped Destruction.

An attempt was made to wreck the bridge over the Millers river on the Central Vermont railroad at Millers Falls Friday night. Twenty-seven sticks of dynamite, weighing about 25 pounds, were placed on a steel traveler, which is in use in building the bridge. This was attached to about 100 feet of fuse, which ran to the Erving side of the river. The fuse was lighted and burned about 30 feet. It is supposed that, on account of a sharp bend in the fuse, the fire went out. The traveler had been run to a point near one of the granite piers, directly under the bridge and had the dynamite exploded the entire structure would probably ed the entire structure would probably have been destroyed, also nearby houses Adam Hammer, the night watchman

had trouble during the night with three men whom he supposed to be drunken tramps on the Montague side of the river. The fuse was not discovered until Satthe time was not discovered until Sat-inday morning, when men employed by the American bridge company, in rebuild-ing the bridge, went to work. Deputy Sheriff E. A. Pratt was notified and at once began an investigation. The matter was kept secret until Tuesday, when it became known by chance. It has been learned that the dynamite had been sent from out of town. It is thought that the attempt to wreck the bridge was caused by union men, because non-union men are at work there. The bridge contract was given several months ago and union men were employed. Later it was sublet to the Boston Bridge company, who keep open shop. This led to trouble, the union men quit work and to no union. men quit work and 40 non-union men were put in their places. They met with a cold reception, not only from the union men, but from the people of the village, where it was hard work for them to get boarding places, and from the tradesmen. From the top of the bridge to the water is a distance of about 70 feet; the traveler had been placed 20 feet lower. The Boston Bridge company maintain armed watch at Bridge company main the bridge at night,

Cadet Meriwether Found Guilty.

Midshipman Miner Meriwether, jr., who Midshipman Miner Meriwether, jr., who was tried by a court martial for causing the death of Midshipman Branch, has been sentenced to confinement to the limits of the naval academy at Annapolis for one year, and to be publicly reprimanded by the secretary of the navy. Secretary Bonaparte has ordered the sentence carried out, remitting so much of the penalty as would debar the accused from serving on any practice ship atfrom serving on any practice ship at-tached to the academy. Meriwether is acquitted of manslaughter, but is found guilty of the violation of the naval prohibiting midshipmen from engaging in fisticuffs, and of conduct to the prejudice of good order and discipline.

The House of Representatives passed on Thursday the emergency canal appropri-ation bill, after reducing the sum it carries from \$16,500,000 to \$11,000,000. The money is to be raised by the sale of bonds, and the bill carries a provision for obtaining itemized statements of expenditures.

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt announced at Washington Wednesday the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alice Lee Roosevelt, and Mr. Nicholas Longworth. The wedding will take place about Feb. 15. Mr. Longworth comes of an old Obles from the 125 years and and in security. Ohio family, is 36 years old and is serving his second term in Congress. He is a graduate of Harvard in '91 and a man of wealth. He has been attentive to Miss Roosevelt the past two years. Both were members of Secretary Taft's party to the Philippines last summer.

Early Saturday morning a gang of several men overpowered Officers Manning and Orr at Reading, Mass., took their revol-vers and handcuffs away from them and placing the latter on the officers marched them to the station where they kept them under guard until their companions dynamited the safe in the water works company's office in the Masonic building. The highwaymen secured \$400 and decamped. A resident hearing a noise and seeing the men owned fire on them from the house. men opened fire on them from the ho window but all escaped.

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The six-day bicycle race which ended at New York Saturday was won by Eddie Root and Joseph Foiger. The distance was 2260 miles and six laps. The record is 2733 miles, made in 1899 by Miller and Waller. Early in the week John and Menus Bedell gained a lap on the other racers, and they were then picked for winners, but Root and Folger gained the distance on Friday. The last mile was ridden by Root against John Bedell, the former leading to the tape by four lengths. There were seven capital prizes, ranging from \$1500 to the winners to \$200 for the seventh team. The promotors of the race are said to have cleared \$60,000

MASSACHUSETTS NOTES

Agreement in the Newton Divorce Case. Dr. A. L. Newton of Northfield, who was granted a divorce from his wife last August by Judge Bell of the superior court, has reached an agreement with Mrs. Newton on the question of alimony and the custody of the two minor chil-dren. This agreement has been approved by Judge Pierce. Mrs. Newton is to be paid \$1850 in full for all claims for all-mony, and releases her interest in Dr. Newton's life insurance policies. Mrs. Newton is given permission to visit the children once a month and oftener if she desires, but not more than once a week, but at some other place than the home of Dr. Newton, who agrees to carry them to any suitable place in Northfield desigated by Mrs. Newton. Mrs. Newton may have the children three months each year during school vacation, Dr. Newton to pay traveling expenses within 150 miles of Northfield. By the agreement the younger daughter, Isabelia, cannot visit her mother unless accompanied by her older sister. Mrs. Newton retains her personal effects.

The prospects for starting the proposed Produce national bank at South Decrifeld are thought by those interested to be good. Henry D. Packard of Greenfield, who is taking the lead in the matter, is giving his entire time to securing stock sub-scriptions and of the \$50,000 required there has been nearly \$30,000 raised. The field is evidently a good one, as there is con-siderable nearby territory that will be served by the proposed bank.

John Swan, 72, a widely known citizen of Athol, died Wednesday from pneu-nonia. He was a successful breeder of horses, also had engaged in farming and in the meat business. He owned and campaigned Lady Sheridan, 2.154, who in 1891 won five more races than any other In 1891 won five more races than any other horse in the country, and was first in the purse winners on the grand circuit. Others on his string at different times were Checo 2.14, Cinch 2.09½, Sheridan Wilkes 2.15½. Mr. Swan married in June, 1838, Augusta S. Fox of Wilmington, Vt., who survives him with one daughter, Mrs. Minnio Ellsworth, wife of Albert Ellsworth, selectman in Athol, and two sons, William and Everett.

F. S. Peer, manager of the New England.

F. S. Peer, manager of the New England Farm Stock company, of Greenfield, re-turned from Michigan Sunday with over turned from Michigan Sunday with over 700 Rambouillet ewes, which will be placed with farmers in Franklin county and southern Vermont and crossed with the Lincoln and Hampshire thoroughbreds, imported from England by Mr. Peer some time ago. The company has placed other lots of sheep among the farmers, and good reports are received from them. Eventually the aim is to have 10,000 sheep on the hill farms. The revival of sheep husbandry in Franklin county is destined to bring with it an increased prosperity to bring with it an increased prosperity for the farmers. Sheep placed with farm-ers are looked after, and the farmer is given advice as to the best methods of

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cy boxes, one in a box.
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Wool, Krimmer, Coney and Water Mink...98¢ to \$4.98 COATS FOR CHRISTMAS.

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> 25¢ to \$1.98

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Sheriff Peabody of Rutland Killed by a Train.

Daniel P. Penhody, sheetff of Potland ontinuously for 27 years and prominent Masonic circles, was struck in front of the railroad station at Ruttand Tues-day afternoon by the 2.15 south bound train. He died from his injuries at 6.30 in the evening. He was hurrying to catch a train when he slipped and fell. The wheels of the locomotive did not pass over him, but he was caught in some manner not fully explained and dragged several feet. It was not thought at first that he was seriously injured and he was carried to his home in an ambulance. An examination showed that he had sustained a fracture of the left. had sustained a fracture of the left arm and right leg and that several ribs were broken. He retained consciousness until five minutes before his death. He was born in Mt. Vernon, N. H., was educated at Black River academy in Ladlow, and lived with his father in Chester, Andover and Weston. He went to Pittsford at the age of 17, lived there 25 years, and engaged in business with his uncle, who ran a peddling business and dealt in woolen goods with the farmers. Mr. Peabody was justice of the peace in Pittsford 10 years, was selectman from 1864 to 1866, and represented the town in the legislature 1863-69. He was deputy sheriff six years, and was then elected high sheriff. He moved to Rutland and had held his office without a break, being reelected every year without an opposing had sustained a fracture of the left arm reelected every year without a break, being reelected every year without an opposing yote. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Mary Woodbury of Pittsford, There are also two sisters. He was a brother of Col. Peabody, who built and ran the Peabody House at South Lon-donderry.

Fat Men at the Meeting.

There was a large attendance at the midwinter meeting of the New En land Fat Men's club held at the Hs Tavern in Wells River Friday. T

A feature of the banquet in the evening A feature of the banquet in the evening was the presentation of a beautiful diamond to Jerome F. Hale, the popular proprietor of Hale's Tavern. The presentation was made by Mr. Manning and responses were made by Col. C. W. Scarff and W. J. Bigelow of Burlington, H. E. Parker of Bradford and Mr. Watcher of Woodaville, N. H. A handsome gavel was also presented to the retiring president, David Wilkle of Boston.

Fred Beauregard, 30, was instantly killed at Brandon Tuesday night in the Vermont Marble company's Corona mill.

He was working with a gang of men sawing marble and in turning over a slab the chain slipped and he was caught between the slab and a post. He leaves a wife and three children.

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John Griffiths, a plumber, lies in a precarious condition at the Mary Fletcher hospital in Burlington as a result of injuries sustained by being crushed in a hydraulic freight elevator Tuesday. He was repairing the piston of the elevator, and attempted to raise the machine. In so doing he lost control of it so that it forced itself upward and his head became caught in the shafting.

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Poster is made chairman of the new cor mittee on expenditures in the department of commerce and labor and given fifth place on the committee on foreign affairs; and Kittredge Haskins is placed on the committee on labor and retains his place on the committees on agriculture and war claims. He is the third ranking member on the committee of agriculture member on the committee of agriculture one of the most important of the House Lucius M. Cragin of Springfield was chopping trees on his place about two miles from the village. Mr. Cragin was prominent in church, political and social affairs. He was trustee and deacon of the Universalist society, held many town offices and was twice Republican candidate for representative. He was a member of the Golden Cross, Odd Fellows and

Twenty-five workmen were thrown into idences Saturday night by a fire which practically destroyed the foundry of the Ruggies Machine company at Poultney and caused a loss of \$10,000; insured. The machine shop adjoining also caught fire, but was saved with difficulty by the fire companies, who also prevented the explanation. companies, who also prevented the exp sion of a large gas tank nearby. Most of the machinery and tools of the workmen were saved.

land Fat Men's club held at the Hale
Tavern in Wells River Friday. The
heaviest man in the club is Arthur H.
Moulton of Portland, Maine, who weighs
406. These officers were elected: President, A. Bacon, Boston; vice presidents,
C. K. Manning. Worcester, Mass., B. M.
Bosworth, Somersworth, N. H., Joseph E.
Morton, Hartford, Conn., William McLaughlin, St. Johnsbury; secretary, H. E.
Parker, Bradford; treasurer, J. F. Hale,
Wells River; executive committee, Charles
the 'track 20 feet ahefid of the train.
When young Hazelton saw the train
strike his brother he immediately ran for
home. The railroad officials think that
the young man slipped between the rails
grand conclave, David Wilkle, Boston.
The total weight of these officers is 2,996
pounds.

That there is gold in the Vermont mountains, and that it can be mined at a big profit, is the firm belief of Aldes Vendette, who recently discovered a vein of the precious metal on Woodford mountain, six miles from Bennington. He has just returned to Rutland from Montreal, where he took a quantity of ore to have it assayed. It yielded \$27 gold and \$12 silver to the ton. Mr. Vondette states that he will begin operations on his newly that he will begin operations on his newly discovered vein very soon. It was known some time ago that Mr. Vondette had discovered what he considered to be a valu-able deposit of gold, but until now he has maintained the utmost secrecy as to the location of the find.

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Annual Meeting.

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